

# **PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION**

**Wednesday, June 22, 2016**

## **Minutes**

**Special Joint Meeting with Resource Management & Business Operations Comm.**

**PRESENT:** Meghan O'Connor, Patrick Morton, Gary Regan, Kevin Riley, Lou Valenti, Rachael McGrath, and Eileen Earle.

**ABSENT:** Laura Ferguson.

**RM & BOC:** Nick Hoffman, Dr. Carver, Terri Yonsky, Mark Caron, Scott Clayton, Kristin Lacey, Mr. Foster, Larry Craybas. Jen Ackerman, Robin Renner, Courtney Martin

**CALL TO ORDER:** Meghan O'Connor called the meeting to order at 7:01 p.m.

**Turf Field and Feasibility Study:** Mark and Eileen have meet with company to go over areas where we would like to have the turf fields. They will be meeting in another 2 weeks. Company will help figure out costs, what type of fill would be used, what would work how to get information out to public when/if that time comes. Currently not having a turf field prevents SWC and state games for field hockey, soccer and football from being played at home.

Timeline could be affected by the need for school renovations referendum within the coming year. Both groups looking into creating bond packages for improvements.

Many ideas were discussed: trying to create groups that crossed multiple generations to support positive change, could we create a spending account for specific purpose and continuing a positive relationship between both BOE and Parks and Rec.

Respectfully submitted,



Rachael McGrath, Recording Secretary

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